

# **Chemical Control of Phytophthora Root Rot of Newly Planted Avocados in Western Australia.**

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## **Abstract**

Root rot, caused by *P. cinnamomi*, was less in trees treated with granular metalaxyl than in those treated with sprays of fosetyl aluminium. Poultry manure, hay and lime did not protect trees from infection. After 8 months the pathogen could not be detected in roots sampled from trees receiving metalaxyl.

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